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POLAND: Warsaw ponders withdrawal from ICCS.

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*POLAND: THE POLISH AMBASSADOR TO THE US HAS
RECOMMENDED THAT WARSAW CONSIDER WITHDRAWAL FROM
THE ICCS, [REDACTED]

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AMBASSADOR TRAMPCZYNSKI, WHO WAS IN WARSAW LAST
WEEK, TOLD THE US AMBASSADOR THAT HE HAD SPENT MOST
OF HIS HOME LEAVE DISCUSSING POLAND'S ICCS DILEMMA
WITH TOP OFFICIALS, INCLUDING PARTY BOSS EDWARD
GIEREK. REDUCING THE PROBLEM TO ITS SIMPLEST ELE-
MENTS, TRAMPCZYNSKI SAID THAT WARSAW FACES TWO
CHOICES: TO WITHDRAW FROM THE ICCS OR TO BECOME
MORE OBJECTIVE FROM THE US VIEWPOINT. LEFT UNSAID
WAS THE FACT THAT EITHER COURSE IS POLITICALLY IM-
POSSIBLE UNTIL THE POLES GET APPROVAL FROM MOSCOW.
THE POLES REPORTEDLY ARE PLANNING TO SEND A DELEGA-
TION TO DISCUSS THE SITUATION WITH THE NORTH VIET-
NAMESE AND THE VIET CONG, AND PRESUMABLY TO GAUGE
THEIR RECEPTIVITY TO A MORE EVEN-HANDED APPROACH.
TRAMPCZYNSKI EXPECTS A DECISION IN WARSAW IN ABOUT
A MONTH.

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WARSAW IS ESPECIALLY CONCERNED THAT THE OB-
STRUCTIONIST TACTICS OF ITS ICCS DELEGATES HAVE
CAUSED SOME STRAIN IN US-POLISH RELATIONS. THE
AMBASSADOR'S SOUNDINGS OF US VIEWS SUGGEST THAT
THE POLES ARE TRYING TO FIND A WAY OUT. [REDACTED]

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